

ORGAN GRINDER UNDER ARREST

Nicolo Bardoto Charged With Cruel Treatment of His Monkey.

Nicolo Bardoto, swarthy of face and black of hair, with a poet's look in his eyes, was a student in the Second Police Station last night. He could not understand why a cruel official had arrested him for a crime. But on the station books it was written down against him that he had been cruel to "Billy," a little "Billy," who helps him every day to earn a farthing for the family. Tending vines in the hills around Genoa, "I love da monkey," he said simply. "He helps me all da day long. And little Billy, he like me, too. I shall da rope, and make him dance like a monkey for da money. Dada man say a hurra da monkey. I no hurra da monkey. I tell him what to do," and he shrugged his shoulders and he did not look as if he had suffered at unknown hands. He nestled close up against his master, and gazed wonderingly at the cell. He scratched and chattered in the monkey's bosom, saying as plainly as a child could talk that he wanted something to eat. Nicolo patted him on the head, and reassured him, and then "Billy" chattered about with all his native curiosity.

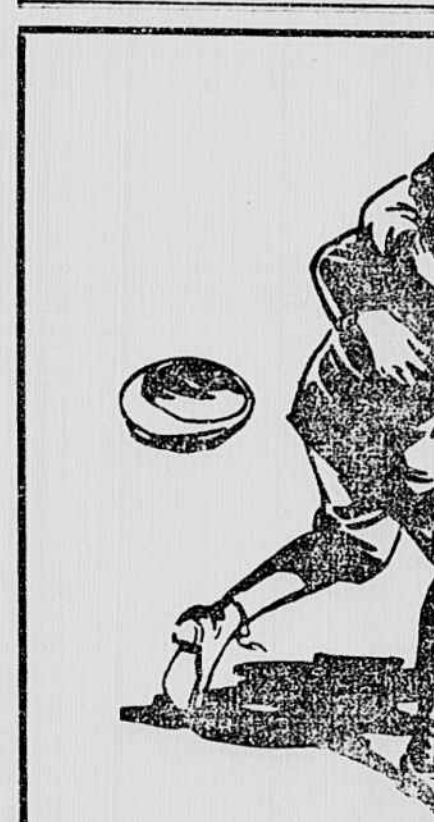
After several hours a friend came, and Nicolo and his little friend were taken to the police station. Nicolo was taken to the police station at 3:30 o'clock this morning. Nicolo said that he would come. He strapped his organ on his back, made "Billy" shake hands with Sergeant Kerse, and then put him in a bag hung from his neck. "Billy" whimpered a bit, and peeped from under Nicolo's arm. He said "sweet, sweet," which meant "good-night."

Half a dozen friends of Nicolo's appeared at the Second Station when they heard of his distress. They said that a monkey like little "Billy" was a thing, and that his owner would no more be cruel to him than if he and the monkey were of closer relationship than Darwin has said.

Nicolo was arrested by Agent E. C. Taylor, of the S. P. C. A.

ROANOKE COLLEGE WINS INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Salem, Va., April 17.—Roanoke College won the silver trophy here to-night in the intercollegiate debate with Randolph-Macon College. The question under discussion was: "Resolved, That the United States should grant the Philippine Islands their independence within eight years." At the University of Roanoke, W. Van and W. Dwyer, of Singer, Van, represented Randolph-Macon College and took the affirmative. F. A. Harvey, of Floyd County, and J. L. Yost, of Salisbury, N. C., represented Roanoke College and took the negative.



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GREEKS WILL AID ADOPTED COUNTRY

Seventy-Five Members of Local Colony Will Offer for Military Service in Mexico.

Filled with the patriotic ardor which made ancient Greece the land of heroes, many members of the local Greek colony have pledged themselves to come to the aid of their adopted land should trouble occur in the near future. Rumors of war in Mexico have led to this decision, and when the call to arms is sounded, an American Legion will do credit to both Greece and America will enter the field from Richmond.

An enthusiastic meeting was held last night at the Greek-American Club, Eighteenth and Main Streets, at which the present grave situation was discussed. At least seventy-five members of the organization, many of whom were retired soldiers in Europe, volunteered, and the company will be ready at the first call.

Many influential members of the Greek race are living here, and quite a number of veterans are among them. The recent trouble in the home land has sent former soldiers to America, and several of them have located here. In case of war, little preparation would be needed to weld these men into an efficient fighting machine.

Montague Club Organized.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Chester, Va., April 17.—At a largely attended meeting of Chester citizens held in the sum of \$25 for their organization, the Montague Club was organized. The club was formed by the following: President, Senator Thomas J. Shepard; vice-presidents, F. Thomas Hatcher, P. A. Burnham, J. R. Moody, A. T. Curtis and W. F. Burton; secretary, W. C. Trueheart. The club proposes to do active work in furthering the campaign of Mr. Montague for reelection to Congress.

REAL CAMELS IN EVIDENCE IN ACCA TEMPLE PARADE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Danville, Va., April 17.—Acqua Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, paraded the streets of the city this afternoon, and among the animals in the parade were two real camels. The parade was held in honor of the Shrine's annual convention, and the camels, loaned by a circus exhibiting here, made the ceremony unusually realistic. Fifty nobles from Richmond, Va., were in attendance, as well as a number from all sections of the State.

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The Weather

Forecast: Virginia—Fair, warmer Saturday; Sunday partly cloudy.

North Carolina—Fair Saturday, warmer east portion; Sunday fair, east, unsettled west portion; probably showers and cooler.

Special Local Data for Yesterday.

12 noon temperature	64
3 P. M. temperature	69
Maximum temperature up to 8	71
P. M. temperature	67
Minimum temperature	49
Mean temperature	58
Normal temperature	58
Deficiency in temperature since March 1	25.6
Accumulated deficiency in temperature since January 1	234
Deficiency in rainfall since March 1	1.29
Accumulated deficiency in rainfall since January 1	.49

Local Observations S. P. M. Yesterday.

Temperature	64
Humidity	75
Wind—direction	Variable
Wind—velocity	1
Weather	Clear
Rainfall last twenty-four hours	0.00

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.

Place.	Ther. H. T. L. T. Weather.
Asheville	56 74 42 Clear
Birmingham	58 74 42 Clear
Atlanta	58 74 42 Clear
Boston	50 58 32 Clear
Buffalo	42 52 32 Clear
Calgary	42 52 32 Clear
Charleston	64 68 54 Clear
Chicago	72 74 48 Cloudy
Denver	46 54 42 Clear
Duluth	38 48 28 Clear
Galveston	70 72 56 Cloudy
Hartford	54 64 42 Clear
Havre	46 58 28 Cloudy
Jacksonville	72 82 62 Clear
Kansas City	72 82 62 Clear
Louisville	74 84 64 Cloudy
Memphis	82 88 68 P. cloudy
New Orleans	72 82 62 Clear
New York	60 64 48 Clear
Norfolk	66 68 46 Clear
Omaha	74 84 64 Rain
Pittsburgh	42 52 32 Clear
Raleigh	68 74 48 Clear
St. Louis	74 80 64 Cloudy
St. Paul	72 82 62 Clear
San Francisco	68 76 52 Clear
Savannah	64 74 62 Clear
Spokane	54 64 42 Clear
Tampa	78 86 62 Clear
Washington	62 68 44 Clear
Winnipeg	54 64 42 Rain
Weymouth	58 68 48 Clear

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April 18, 1914.

Sun rises.....5:33 Morning.....11:33

Sun sets.....6:46 Evening.....12:24

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AMUSEMENTS.

Bliss—Gracie Scott Company, in "The Girl of the Golden West," matinee and night.

Lyric—with Vaudeville, matinee and night.

Colonial—Vaudeville and Pictures.

St. James Church—The Little Pilgrims and the Book Beloved, matinee and night.

Beautiful Little Morality Play.

Marie Hobart's full and affecting little morality play, "The Little Pilgrims and the Book Beloved," was presented last night at the parish house of St. James Episcopal Church by members of the Junior Auxiliaries of all the Episcopal churches of Richmond.

The same spirit of reverence that caused the propriety of printing a review of the performance last year in St. Andrew's Hall, under the caption, "Amusements," to be questioned by the reviewer.

Yet it was played again last night with the same earnestness of purpose and simple, childish dignity. Inspired by unquestioning belief that lifted its presentation at that time to a plane of pure, unadorned, rather crude endeavor, which is sometimes art.

And for this reason the performance of "The Little Pilgrims and the Book Beloved" is mentioned in this column. There is another sufficient reason. "The Little Pilgrims and the Book Beloved" is a reversion to the original type of drama, the American play, for the first theatrical performance given in our country, as they were called, was a church play, for the purpose of teaching the ignorant by object lessons, as it were, of the rewards of good and the punishment of evil.

This little play does not go that far, it does not descend upon any abstract question, for good and evil, and the question of situation or incident. It is merely a simple, clear explanation of the meaning and the purpose of the various offices, ceremonies and sacraments of the Book of Common Prayer of the Episcopal Church, simple and so clear in its obvious symbolism, a symbolism only of impersonation, that very common thing, can understand practically all of it.

Because they can and do understand it. The actors—little churchmen all—will take part in the play, and the poetic lines with a feeling and conviction that make their efforts impressive and touching, while the melodramatic music that upholds the action in this solemn little drama, chosen entirely from the hymns of the church, increases both its dignity and its appeal.

There will be two performances to-day—at 2:30 and at 8:15 o'clock.

Douglas Gordon.

The Coming of Ethel Barrymore.

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ELEVEN VICTIMS CLAIMED BY FIRE

Panic-Stricken People Refuse to Stay at Windows and Be Rescued.

New York, April 17.—Flames that swept through a five-story apartment house at 741 Eighth Avenue to-day claimed eleven victims and resulted in the serious injury of four others.

Ten bodies were taken from the theatrical boardinghouse that occupied half of the building. Only one could be identified, the others being claimed by no one, recognition being denied.

William Vallance, forty-six years old, Nellie Wallace, his wife, Mrs. Spencer, a cloak model, Mrs. Davis, three years old, Mrs. George C. Davis, internally hurt, died in a hospital.

The fire started in a pile of waste in basement of a second-story which occupied the rear of the building, and the flames spread rapidly up the stairways, shutting off escape from them. There were no fire escapes in the front of the building, and the large number of dead and injured was due to the refusal of the panic-stricken people to leave the front windows, where many were rescued by firemen. All of the dead and injured were taken from the rear rooms and halls, where they were caught while attempting to reach the roof.

The man was killed in trying to escape over the roof. In the hour the flames raged, many people were rescued by firemen, but many were killed. The fire started in a pile of waste in basement of a second-story which occupied the rear of the building, and the flames spread rapidly up the stairways, shutting off escape from them.

Students Injured.

Hurled to Floor When Section of Gallery Collapsed.

Charlotte, N. C., April 17.—A section of the gallery in Memorial Hall of the West College of the University of North Carolina collapsed to-day, hurling to the floor a number of students. The students were injured, and the building was damaged.

Will Select Textbooks.

State Board of Education to Meet Here on Monday.

The State Board of Education will meet in special session on Monday to award contracts for supplying the textbooks for the public schools. Bids have been opened and tabulated, and a large number of books have been ordered. The work was subdivided, committees being named on histories, languages, mathematics, etc., so that when the board meets it will have before it definite recommendations, not only as to price, but as to the textbooks best suited to the needs of the schools of this State. It is expected that very general changes will be made in the books used in the schools.

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ATTEMPT ON LIFE OF MAYOR MITCHELL FAILS; POLK HURT

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honey refused to discuss this when questioned.

Eye-Witness Tells of Shooting.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] New York, April 17.—George V. Mullin, Mayor Mitchell's former law partner and a commissioner of taxes and streets, was shot in the chest when he was fired into the car. Mr. Mullin's arm was broken by the powder, and his collar was stained with powder marks.

They were going to the Whitehall Club for luncheon, said Mullin. "We left City Hall about a quarter after 1," the Mayor, Polk, Woods and myself.

"The Mayor was the last to get in. The Mayor was sitting down and the chauffeur was leaning over and into the car to swing the robe over us. I had a glimpse of a man near me raise his arm. I saw his hand flash to look around there was a flash and an explosion. I felt the bullet whizz by in front of my face, and my cheek was burned with the powder.

"I do not know exactly what followed. I saw Woods leap forward, and I saw the chauffeur turn and across a man. The three went down in a heap, and a uniformed policeman came running up."

"Meanwhile the Mayor jumped up, and I saw him draw his gun from his pocket. He fired one shot. Where is he?" "Did he hit any of us?"

"No," said "No," and then I looked at the Mayor. He was looking at me. He put his handkerchief to his face, and said: "Yes, he got me. I'm hit in the neck."

"I saw the Mayor was all right, and that Woods had the man who did the shooting. We got out of the car and hurried to the police station in the basement of the City Hall. It seemed to me before we arrived that a doctor arrived, but it really was only a few minutes.

"I cannot help thinking that the man mistook me for the Mayor. I remember him to have been told so, and the fact that he was right beside me leads me to think that he mistook me for the Mayor. The fact that he was leaning back in the car probably saved me. At the same time, Frank thought himself back when the gun was raised, and that probably saved him from a more serious wound. I have never seen a more splendid exhibition of nerve and courage than that displayed by Frank after he had been hit. He kept control over himself all the time he was in the station. He talked to his father and insisted that he be allowed to tell Mrs. Polk, in order that she might not be unduly alarmed."

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Mr. Polk's first act after being taken to this room was to telephone to Mrs. Polk. He said to the Mayor: "If she hears about this thing from some one else she will be worried to death. I want her to hear my voice, and then she will feel better."

Dr. Golding and Dr. Hartwell, family physician of the Polks, performed the operation.

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Invitations Issued.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Fredericksburg, Va., April 17.—Mrs. John Gray Pollard, of King George County, has issued invitations for the marriage of her daughter, Miss Margaret Althea Pollard, to Frank Taylor, of the same county, the wedding to be solemnized on Wednesday, April 29, at 12 o'clock, at St. John's Episcopal Church at King George, Va.

EXPRESS COMPANY ORDERED TO ADOPT NEW SCHEDULE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Raleigh, N. C., April 17.—The North Carolina Corporation Commission made an order to-day requiring the Southern Express Company to put into effect on June 5 a new system of rates applicable to interstate express business in this State, that is based on the new schedule of rates applicable to interstate express of the entire country, by order of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The new rates for North Carolina, however, are modified in a number of respects, to avoid increasing rates on various commodities. The new rates are expected materially to reduce express revenues in this State on important commodities.

DEATHS

PERKINSON.—Died, April 17, 1914, at 6 P. M., at her late residence, 2121 East Marshall Street, MRS. EUGENIA V. PERKINSON, beloved wife of S. T. PERKINSON in the sixty-sixth year of her age.

FUNERAL from the home SUNDAY at 3:30 P. M.

TODD.—Died, April 17, at 8:30 A. M., at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Haskins, MRS. ALICE GAY TODD, widow of Alexander T. Todd, of Franklin, Ky.

THOMAS.—Died, at Shiloh, Armes Hospital, April 16, JAMES THOMAS, son of Alice and Rosa Thombs. Funeral from Porter Street Presbyterian Church, SUNDAY at 2:30 o'clock.

COOK.—Died, yesterday morning, April 17, at 1:15 o'clock, MR. G. H. COOK, at his home, Ninth and Main Streets, South Richmond. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn their loss. Funeral from Porter Street Presbyterian Church, SUNDAY at 2:30 o'clock.

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